



SAINT MATTHIAS PARISH

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Christian Formation Registration Letter

St. Matthias Mission Statement

St. Matthias Catholic Parish is committed to continuing the ministry of Jesus Christ. We invite and welcome all. Come...live, grow, and be challenged by the message through prayer, formation, and service.

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We hope this letter finds you and your family doing well during this time. The registration for the upcoming 2024-2025 St. Matthias Christian Formation year and the calendars for the grade school program and the high school program are in this letter.

How to Register:

You may register in one of two ways. The first is by filling out the form included with this letter and returning it to the Parish Office. You may drop off your registration during office hours or after hours by putting it in the mail slot. You can also mail your registration to:

St. Matthias Parish
Attn: Formation Office
9306 W Beloit Rd
Milwaukee, WI 53227

The second option for registration is online at the parish website (<http://www.stmatthias-milw.org>). Look under the Faith Formation tab and click on "Online Registration." For the online registration, provide the requested information and submit the completed form when you finish. You will receive a confirmation email when your registration is received, whether you register online or through the paper registration.

Registrations are due by Friday, September 6th, 2024

****Please include all requested information, especially email addresses. We use these to send reminders and updates about the program.****

Additional Information:

Information about the Christian Formation Program can be found by visiting our website (www.stmatthias-milw.org) and clicking on the Faith Formation Tab. Information is updated regularly throughout the program. You will be able to see calendars with dates for the program, curriculum information, service opportunities, the parent handbook, and more.

Payment Information:

Check – all checks should be made out to St. Matthias. Please send them to the Parish Office using the address on the first page of this letter.

Credit Card – go online to our website: <https://stmatthias-milw.weshareonline.org/ws/opportunities/ChristianFormationPayment>

Payment Plans – you may choose to do a payment plan for either two or four equal payments. To do a payment plan by credit card, visit the above link. Payment plan months are September, December, February, and April.

****Fee information is included on the registration and at the payment link above.****

Please note: NO family is turned away because of their financial situation. If you would like to request financial assistance for Christian Formation fees, please contact the Faith Formation Office to receive the application for the St. Matthias Endowment Fund.

Orientation for Christian Formation:

K4 – 8th Grade & 9-11th grades

Sunday, September 15th, 2024 – 11:00 am – 12:30 pm
Open House

Orientation will be an open house meeting for parents/guardians, students, and catechists. During this time frame parents/guardians and students are able to come and go at any time but are welcome to stay as long as they like to receive the handbook, meet the catechists, and ask any questions they may have for the Lifelong Faith Formation staff.

Questions/Concerns?

If you have any questions regarding the Christian Formation Program, please do not hesitate to contact one of us by phone or email. We look forward to seeing you in the fall!

God Bless,

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